



**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Docket No. X-12542

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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which is described and claimed in the specification which:

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one)  was filed on September 30, 1998 as United  
States Application Serial No. 09/163-769.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e) of any United States provisional patent application(s) listed below.

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